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PATENT APPLICATION

MAREK WÓJTOWICZ, ET AL.

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PYROLYSIS-BASED FUEL PROCESSING METHOD AND APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SECOND REQUEST FOR STATUS

The captioned application was filed on **July 6, 2001**, and no substantive action has been received to date. The last activity on this file was a Notice of Publication of Application dated April 11, 2002.

Particularly in view of the facts: (1) that the application has now been published, (2) it has been pending for well in excess of **two years**, and (3) a Request for Status filed June 24, 2003 has been unanswered, action on the case, and advice as to when it can be expected, is long overdue and would be most sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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